Subject No. 187.

Setting aside the sales of lands on payment of the arrears of kandayam within a month from the date of the sale.

Mr. C. Subba Rao, Advocate.

Summary of Representation.—In cases of sales of lands for arrears of Government revenue the Deputy Commissioner or the Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Taluk in which the land sold is situate may be authorised to set aside the sale if the defaulter pays up the money within a month from the date of the sale.

Mr. Sivappa said that the defaulter may be allowed to pay before confirmation of sale and suggested that provision as in Civil Procedure Code 310 A may be made.

Reply of Government.—Noted for consideration.

Subject No. 188.

Extension of time of payment of purchase money.

Mr. Lakshminarana ppa.

Summary of Representation.—It now obtains that purchasers at Revenue auction sales should pay the remainder of the purchase money within 15 days of the sale. This may be extended to one month.

Messrs. Annaiya Pandit, T. Krishna Rao and Sivappa opposed the proposal.

Reply of Government.—Cannot be done.

Subject No. 189.

Kind of suits to be disposed of by Amildars.

Messrs. Gunda Pandit and Nanjappa of Malvalli Taluk.

Summary of Representation.—It is mentioned in the Revenue Rules that Amildars can dispose of Revenue suits up to Rs. 50. It is not stated what kind of suits they are to take cognizance of. It may be defined.

Reply of Government.—There is no such rule. There seems to be a misapprehension.

Subject No. 190.

Suggestions for the proper keeping of Registers of processes in Revenue Courts.

Mr. Ramanuja Iyengar of Gubbi Taluk.

Summary of Representation.—Signatures of parties are to be affixed to the Revenue Register of processes, as is in vogue in Civil Courts, to prevent malpractices of Government officials.

Reply of Government.—Individual cases may be represented. No general rule is necessary.

Subject No. 191.

Receipts to petitioners who file suits and cases.

Mr. Ramanuja Iyengar of Gubbi Taluk.

Summary of Representation.—Receipts to be given to the petitioners who file Revenue suits and Criminal cases as was in force in former days.

Reply of Government.—The need has not been properly explained by the member.

Subject No. 192.

Revenue suits for hereditary village service to be filed in the Courts of Amildars in the first instance.

Mr. Hutcheregowda of Gubbi Taluk.

Summary of Representation.—People find it difficult to attend the Courts of Assistant Commissioners which are situated far away from their villages, for filing Revenue suits for hereditary village service. Amildars of Taluks may be empowered to try such suits in the first instance for the convenience of the public.

Reply of Government.—No change is necessary.

Subject No. 193.

Doing away with the fees for searching records.

Mr. Nadig Sivappa of Sorab.

Summary of Representation.—The imposition of fees for searching Revenue and other records entails much hardship and difficulty on the public, and thereby especially the poor are placed under great disadvantage. It is prayed that the imposition of searching fees may be ordered to be done away with altogether.